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## IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Kenya KOBAYASHI

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METHOD OF FORMING A TRENCH ISOLATION

## AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450

September 27, 2004

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Official Action mailed June 28, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.